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Wrought-Iron Pipe for Gas
Steam and Water.
Boiler Tubes, Cast and Malle-
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Steam valves, Steam
 Traps, Engine Traps,
 Steam valves, Pipe Tongs,
 Pipe Cutters, Vises, Screw
 Drivers and Dies, Wrenches,
 Steam Traps, Pumps, Kitch-
 en Sinks, Hoes, Jelling, Bab-
 bit Metal, Solder, and all
 Colored Wiping Waxes,
 and all other Supplies used in
 connection with Gas, Steam
 and Water. Natural Gas
 Supplies a specialty. Steam-
 heating Apparatus for Pub-
 lic Buildings, stores, Hotels,
 Mills, Shops, Factories, Lanes,
 Street, Laminar Dry-Houses,
 etc. Cat and Thread to or-
 der any size. Wrought-iron
 Pipe, from 1/2 inch to 36
 inches diameter.

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They would never be really easy in your mouth and you would lose flesh worrying about breaking them. Better give me \$4 for them, and then you would not only feel comfortable, but you would have no fear of their falling out or breaking.

"Then there's your pose. Of course, the

"Both eyes have been gouged out. I have ready-made eyes for almost any figure you might wish to name. But if you have the money to spare and want a particular shade or color, you would be obliged to charge me \$30 for the pair of the pair. That would be the best market affords, however, and an exact reproduction of the eyes you lost, and made of the best material."

would build these up of aluminum and wax, paint them like flesh and fasten them with mastic for a fee of from \$40 to \$100, according to your order.

"Your ear drums having been destroyed I would have to replace them. This would cost you from \$5 to \$15. They are perishable and would have to be renewed frequently.

"That is about all I could do for you

Two legs and feet..... \$30
Two arms and hands..... 20
Set of instruments..... 5
Wig..... 15

Palate	1
Nose	1
Pair of eyes	2
Pair of ears	10
Ear drums	1
Tube for windpipe	2
Total renovation	\$1.04

"Then you would be a work of art."

THE CZARINA'S TOYS.
Curious Russian Fashion in the Giving of Easter Eggs.
New York Commercial Advertiser.
Among the most precious and curious things to be seen in the Russian section of the Paris exhibition are all the Easter eggs

which she had been reading, and she could not resist the temptation to tell Alexander III of the existence of the letter. Alexander III, like Nicholas II, The French consider, with perhaps a certain amount of reason, this envoy of the illustrious ladies as the greatest proof of their love for their nation and a symbol of the solidity of the alliance between the two countries. As a matter of fact, both empresses felt a certain amount of uneasiness at the prospects of sending into the

It was always the custom for the czar to present to their imperial spouses each year, at Easter, an egg containing a surprise gift, in keeping with some particular event, public or private. When the czar's wife—now Nicholas II—was sent round the world with the double aim of completing his education and forgetting, if possible, an unsuitable love, his father pre-

in Jasper, covered with curious ornament in gold and diamonds; inside was a tin ship, the model of that in which the boy was sailing. It was made in gold and mounted on a beryl stone; masts, cables and anchors, decks, everything was complete there were even two small guns, perfect in all their details. It was the work of a old Finlander, who had devoted ten months of his life to the completion of this master

In the year of her coronation the grand daughter of Queen Victoria received from her imperial husband an Easter egg in pink enamel on gold. Inside was the model of the gala carriage which conveyed the young Czarina to Moscow Cathedral. Nothing is wanting, not even the cushions of the seats, which are made of red enamel, and the silk curtains, which move on small golden wires. The imperial crown is also

This year's egg contains a heart made of sparkling multi-colored stones and the inscription: "The heart of my Zarina." The heart is surrounded by twenty-five tiny portraits, all representing the members of the Russian imperial family.

Governor Roosevelt's order, including Erie county and all the counties within the limits of this city in the civil-service regulations, should not be allowed to pass un-noticed because of the Philadelphia convention excitement. Henceforth all appointments and promotions in the service of these counties, with very few exceptions, will have to be made on the basis of merit.

and fitness. The step forward is one of those large steps to which the Government has accustomed us, but which his incurable critics are never able to perceive. The exemption of five or six minor places, even though similar exemption has been the rule, strikes his critics as evidence of little less than absolute depravity on his part. Compared with it, such an achievement as the report of the "starchless" civil-service

most rigorous and comprehensive reform law on the statute books of any State is of trifling importance. The inclusion of the counties puts virtually the entire service in four counties under the law, and is, in fact, the final step in the inclusion of almost the entire system of the State within the merit system. Yet the Governor will be given very scant credit for it by the professional advocates of reform.

Brother Dickey's Philosophy.
Atlanta Constitution.

Gimme neither poverty nor riches. De
keep de pot b'illin' in settle de house rent.
De po' man hez got dis consolation: De
rich man hez got ter worry night in day
ter know what ter do wid his money.
I des so onlicky dat I b'leve ef ever

Good Old Democratic Way.
Kansas City Star.
Having criticised Mr. McKinley yesterday for sending troops to China, a certain Bryan organ says to-day he would better burn up and save American lives.

is the real anti-expansion idea. Uphold American honor, but maintain no army. Don't send soldiers to China, but if Americans perish because no soldiers are sent, denounce the government.